

Best Books for Boys – 40+ Fantastic Reads for Boys ages 8-16

BOOKS FOR PRE-TWEEN BOYS (AGES 8 AND UP):

[Big Nate](#) – Lincoln Pierce

[Diary Of A Wimpy Kid](#) – Jeff Kinney

[The Cricket in Times Square](#) – George Seldon

[The BFG](#) - Roald Dahl

[James and the Giant Peach](#) - Roald Dahl

[Charlie and the Chocolate Factory](#) - Roald Dahl

[A Series of Unfortunate Events](#) – Lemony Snicket/Brent Helquist

BEST BOOKS FOR TWEEN BOYS (10 AND UP):

[Zoobreak](#) – Gordon Korman

[Island of the Blue Dolphins](#) – Scott O’Dell

[Lost in the Barrens](#) – Farley Mowat

[Tuck Everlasting](#) – Natalie Babbitt

[Hatchet](#) – Gary Paulsen

[Holes](#) – Louis Sachar

[Lord of the Deep](#) – Graham Salisbury

[The Complete Screech Owls Series](#) – Roy MacGregor

[The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe](#) – C.S. Lewis

[City of Ember](#) – Jeanne DuPrau

BEST BOOKS FOR TEENAGE BOYS: (13-UP)

[Half Brother](#) – Kenneth Opal

[The Lightning Thief](#) – Rick Riordan

[Endangered](#) – Eliot Schrefer

[The Giver](#) – Lois Lowry (4 books in the series)

[The Hunger Games trilogy](#) – Suzanne Collins

[The Maze Runner](#) – James Dashner

All three were written by one of my boys’ favourite Canadian authors, Eric Walters:

[Sketches – Kindle](#) or available in [paperback on Amazon.ca](#)

[Shattered – Kindle](#) or available in [paperback on Amazon.ca](#)

[Trapped in Ice](#) or available in [paperback on Amazon.ca](#)